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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

David Murray Melrose

Serial No.: 09/689,957

Filed: October 12, 2000

For: A Container Having Pressure

Responsive Panels



Examiner: J. C. Merek

Art Unit: 3727

RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated February 24, 2004, please amend the aboveidentified application as follows:

Amendments to the claims begin on page 2.

Remarks begin on page 10.